



Australian Bureau of Statistics

1379.0.55.001 National Regional Profile, West Torrens (C) - East, 2002 to 2006

Released at 11.30am (Canberra time) 28 July 2008

Contents

Tables

- [1](#) Economy
- [2](#) Population/People
- [3](#) Industry
- [4](#) Environment/Energy

More information available from the ABS website

1379.0.55.001 National Regional Profile, 2002 to 2006

[Summary](#)

[Explanatory Notes](#)

Inquiries

Further information about these and related statistics is available from the ABS website www.abs.gov.au, or contact the National Information and Referral Service on 1300 135 070.

© [Commonwealth of Australia 2008](#)



Australian Bureau of Statistics

1379.0.55.001 National Regional Profile, West Torrens (C) - East, 2002 to 2006

Released at 11.30am (Canberra time) 28 July 2008

Table 1: Economy

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Unemployment rate	%	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	2 000	2 016	2 075	2 120	-
Taxable individuals	no.	9 765	10 084	10 357	10 547	-
Taxable income	\$m	331.0	354.1	384.2	411.2	-
Average taxable income	\$	33 896	35 119	37 097	38 988	-
Net tax	\$m	71.8	78.8	85.8	92.8	-
Average net tax	\$	7 351	7 815	8 282	8 802	-
Average net tax ratio	%	21.7	22.3	22.3	22.6	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS * - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	8 710	8 978	9 226	9 473	-
Wage and salary income	\$m	284.5	303.2	326.7	349.3	-
Total income	\$m	298.9	316.7	343.2	365.2	-
Average wage and salary income	\$	32 661	33 766	35 410	36 875	-
Average total income	\$	34 314	35 274	37 198	38 554	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX * - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	762	822	854	853	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	1 464	1 504	1 479	1 488	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	1 118	1 175	1 214	1 239	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	765	784	813	848	-
Males - 55 years and over	no.	344	354	398	419	-
Males - Total	no.	4 453	4 639	4 758	4 847	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	769	794	842	892	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	1 375	1 357	1 350	1 396	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	1 070	1 081	1 068	1 059	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	775	805	860	894	-
Females - 55 years and over	no.	269	301	347	386	-
Females - Total	no.	4 258	4 338	4 467	4 627	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	1 531	1 616	1 696	1 745	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	2 839	2 861	2 829	2 884	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	2 188	2 256	2 282	2 298	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	1 540	1 589	1 673	1 742	-
Persons - 55 years and over	no.	613	655	745	805	-
Persons - Total	no.	8 711	8 977	9 225	9 474	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION * - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	-	764	739	775	-
Professionals	no.	-	1 916	1 892	1 959	-
Associate Professionals	no.	-	678	678	704	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	no.	-	804	799	773	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	-	223	229	224	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	1 749	1 719	1 761	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no.	-	471	480	479	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	840	851	881	-
Labourers and Related Workers	no.	-	839	848	878	-
Not Stated	no.	-	972	991	1 039	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	-	9 256	9 226	9 473	-
PERSONS WITH OWN UNINCORPORATED BUSINESS * - year ended 30 June						
Males						
Males with own unincorporated business	no.	648	622	608	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	16.6	16.9	18.8	-	-
Total income	\$m	18.1	18.4	20.4	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	\$	25 589	27 230	30 883	-	-
Average total income	\$	27 923	29 652	33 612	-	-
Females						
Females with own unincorporated business	no.	253	251	241	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	5.3	5.6	6.0	-	-
Total income	\$m	6.2	6.3	6.8	-	-



Released at 11.30am (Canberra time) 28 July 2008

Table 1: Economy						
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Average own unincorporated business income	\$	21 066	22 259	24 871	-	-
Average total income	\$	24 330	25 207	28 419	-	-
Persons						
Persons with own unincorporated business	no.	901	873	849	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	21.9	22.5	24.8	-	-
Total income	\$m	24.2	24.8	27.3	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	\$	24 319	25 801	29 176	-	-
Average total income	\$	26 914	28 374	32 138	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESS ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	1 689	1 665	1 536	1 539
Employing businesses: 1 to 4 employees	no.	-	411	477	555	576
Employing businesses: 5 or more employees	no.	-	579	630	687	702
Total businesses	no.	-	2 679	2 772	2 778	2 817
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	264	270	273
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	99	144	111
Total business entries	no.	-	-	363	414	384
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	336	390	306
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	12	18	69
Total business exits	no.	-	-	348	408	375
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	-	33	36	33	36
Mining	no.	-	3	3	3	3
Manufacturing	no.	-	270	276	261	246
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	-	0	0	0	0
Construction	no.	-	318	333	366	360
Wholesale trade	no.	-	201	228	207	225
Retail trade	no.	-	384	363	405	387
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no.	-	51	60	45	45
Transport and storage	no.	-	222	264	243	249
Communication services	no.	-	33	30	27	33
Finance and insurance	no.	-	165	159	147	138
Property and business services	no.	-	690	711	729	759
Education	no.	-	12	12	9	12
Health and community services	no.	-	141	153	162	171
Cultural and recreational services	no.	-	87	75	78	84
Personal and other services	no.	-	69	69	63	69
Total businesses	no.	-	2 679	2 772	2 778	2 817
* These data relate to persons for whom this source of income was their principal source of income for the relevant financial year						
© Commonwealth of Australia 2008						



Australian Bureau of Statistics

1379.0.55.001 National Regional Profile, West Torrens (C) - East, 2002 to 2006

Released at 11.30am (Canberra time) 28 July 2008

Table 2: Population/People

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Percentage of total population aged 15 years and over	%	-	-	-	-	31.5
LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-	-	-	2.6
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	1.6
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-	-	-	14.0
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-	-	-	6.3
Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	15.1
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	12.7
Total with qualifications	%	-	-	-	-	52.4
OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006						
Managers	%	-	-	-	-	10.4
Professionals	%	-	-	-	-	23.5
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-	-	-	13.4
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-	-	-	9.6
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-	-	-	16.4
Sales Workers	%	-	-	-	-	9.5
Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-	-	-	5.5
Labourers	%	-	-	-	-	10.1
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	1.6
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Lone person households	no.	-	-	-	-	3 817
Group households	no.	-	-	-	-	887
Family households	no.	-	-	-	-	5 701
Total households	no.	-	-	-	-	10 405
FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	1 679
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	432
Couple families without children	no.	-	-	-	-	2 380
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	633
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	409
Other families	no.	-	-	-	-	240
Total families	no.	-	-	-	-	5 773
INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006						
Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	18 198
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	3 552
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	11 948
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	6 313
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006						
Major Cities	%	-	-	-	-	100.0
Inner Regional	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Outer Regional	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Very Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006						
Major Urban	%	-	-	-	-	100.0
Other Urban	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Bounded Locality	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Rural Balance	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-	-	-	16.4
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	16.5
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	7.4
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	0.8
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-	-	-	11.1
ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006						
Broadband connection	%	-	-	-	-	31.2
Dial-up connection	%	-	-	-	-	22.7
Other connection	%	-	-	-	-	0.6
Total internet connections	%	-	-	-	-	54.4
BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December						
Births	no.	313	275	262	301	292
Total fertility rate	rate	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.4
Deaths	no.	176	214	157	199	196
Standardised death rate	rate	6.1	6.1	5.5	5.6	5.3

© Commonwealth of Australia 2008

1379.0.55.001 National Regional Profile, West Torrens (C) - East, 2002 to 2006

Released at 11.30am (Canberra time) 28 July 2008

Table 3: Industry

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June						
Private sector houses	no.	84	72	126	106	62
Total dwelling units	no.	105	119	144	154	173
Value of total residential building	\$m	16.8	16.4	20.3	22.8	31.4
Value of total non-residential building	\$m	14.4	22.0	31.6	19.6	41.6
Value of total building	\$m	31.2	38.4	51.9	42.4	73.1
NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES - year ended 30 June						
Passenger vehicles	no.	961	1 110	1 146	1 309	1 147
Other vehicles	no.	398	501	572	598	697
Total new motor vehicle sales	no.	1 359	1 611	1 719	1 907	1 844
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March						
Number by type of vehicle						
Passenger vehicles	no.	14 945	15 006	15 685	16 136	16 310
Campervans	no.	52	54	46	44	39
Light commercial vehicles	no.	2 145	2 152	2 855	2 997	3 106
Light rigid trucks	no.	117	117	137	152	170
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	570	547	579	595	616
Articulated trucks	no.	56	58	64	55	60
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	45	41	35	29	25
Buses	no.	41	41	37	433	451
Motorcycles	no.	965	1 000	1 038	1 040	1 104
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	18 936	19 017	20 478	21 480	21 881
Number per 1,000 population						
Passenger vehicles	no.	624	621	643	658	652
Campervans	no.	2	2	2	2	2
Light commercial vehicles	no.	90	89	117	122	124
Light rigid trucks	no.	5	5	6	6	7
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	24	23	24	24	25
Articulated trucks	no.	2	2	3	2	2
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	2	2	1	1	1
Buses	no.	2	2	2	18	18
Motorcycles	no.	40	41	43	42	44
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	790	787	839	877	875
Number by type of fuel						
Petrol - Leaded	no.	4 508	3 811	3 173	2 614	2 170
Petrol - Unleaded	no.	13 207	13 957	15 831	16 878	17 493
Diesel	no.	1 048	1 064	1 245	1 654	1 876
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	173	185	230	334	342
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June						
Total area						
Area of holding	ha	-	-	-	-	749.4
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
Total number						
Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-	-	-	3 212
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-	-	-	0
Meat cattle	no.	-	-	-	-	0
Pigs	no.	-	-	-	-	0
PROPERTY SALES - Year ended 30 June						
Residential sales - Number	no.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Residential sales - Value	\$m	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Residential sales - Average value	\$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
PROPERTY VALUATIONS - Year ended 30 June						
Residential - Number of properties	no.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Residential - Capital value	\$m	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Residential - Average capital value	\$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Commercial/Industrial - Number of properties	no.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Commercial/Industrial - Capital value	\$m	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Commercial/Industrial - Average capital value	\$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Primary production - Number of properties	no.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Primary production - Capital value	\$m	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Primary production - Average capital value	\$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
* Agricultural commodities data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS cat no. 7125.0						
© Commonwealth of Australia 2008						



Australian Bureau of Statistics

1379.0.55.001 National Regional Profile, West Torrens (C) - East, 2002 to 2006

Released at 11.30am (Canberra time) 28 July 2008

Table 4: Environment/Energy

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
LAND AREA						
Land area	km ²	-	-	-	-	12.7
© Commonwealth of Australia 2008						